

Child Care Compliance and Regulation

2024 Quarter 4 Dashboard

October 01, 2024 to December 31, 2024

Learn more about child care in Missouri [here](#).

Amount of Time
to Get Licensed

Licensed in less
than 6 months

66%

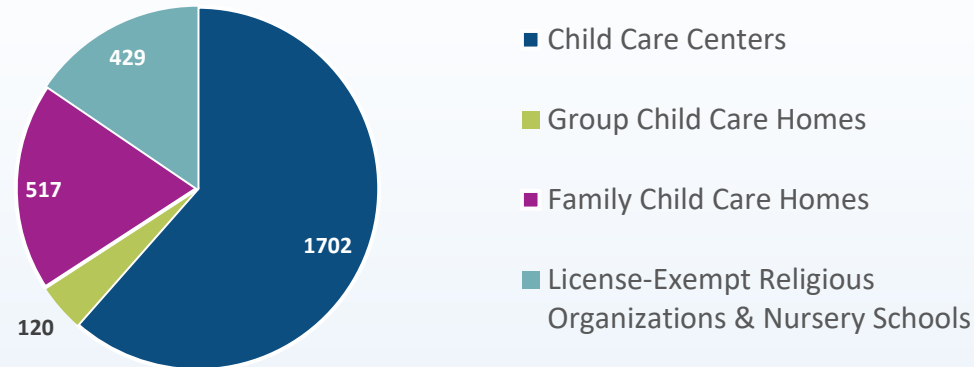
Licensed 6 - 12
months

28%

Licensed in more
than 12 months

6%

Number of Licensed & License-Exempt Child Care Facilities



166,205

Total child care slots for
all Licensed and License-
Exempt child care
facilities

*Data as of
January 01, 2025

243

Facilities pending
licensure and pending
License-Exempt approval
to operate

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January 01, 2025

1,743

Child care inspections
completed in Licensed
and License-Exempt
facilities from
October 01, 2024 to
December 31, 2024

287

Complaint
investigations
completed in Licensed
and License-Exempt
facilities from
October 01, 2024 to
December 31, 2024

Event Highlights from Q4 2024

- Presented at the Missouri School Age Conference and Northeast Community Leader meeting.
- Hosted quarterly stakeholder meeting to discuss changes to website, changes to school-age licensing rules, and licensing indicator system updates
- Participated in meetings with the –
 - ✓ Southwest Missouri Childhood Community Leaders and stakeholders
 - ✓ South Central Region Missouri Childhood Community Leaders and stakeholders
 - ✓ Moniteau Show Me Strong Communities
 - ✓ Northwest Missouri Childhood Community Leaders and stakeholders
 - ✓ Callaway County Early Education and Care team